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SUBJECT: FOREIGN LICENSING OPPORTUNITY: MR. DESMOND W.
MARGETSON: QUICK MASTER CHESS: OPP. NO. 3-78-023

REF: STATE A-2450 OF JULY 6, 78
STATE A-1346 OF APRIL 3, 78
HAMBURG 849 OF JULY 17, 78

THE EMBASSY REGRETS THE DIFFICULTIES ENCOUNTERED BY MR. MARGETSON IN KEEPING HIS GERMAN PATENT RIGHTS. BUT SINCE THE GERMAN PATENT OFFICE STATED IT WOULD DEAL WITH HIM ONLY THROUGH PATENT ATTORNEYS AND SINCE HE DID NOT MANAGE TO PAY HIS FEES IN TIME OR WITHIN 6 MONTHS OF THE EXPIRATION DATE, THE EMBASSY HAS NO LEGAL MEANS TO INTERVENE.

THE EMBASSY HAD SUBJECT LICENSING OPPORTUNITY PUBLICIZED BY THE GERMAN NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF GAME AND TOY MANUFACTURERS, NUERNBERG, TO THEIR MEMBER FIRMS, AND THE GERMAN FEDERAL FOREIGN TRADE INFORMATION AGENCY, KOELN, AND DEUTSCHE BANK AG, FRANKFURT, TO THEIR CLIENTS. ALSO THE VARIOUS COMMERCIAL SECTIONS IN GERMANY WERE INFORMED OF THIS OPPORTUNITY. AS A RESULT THE EMBASSY RECEIVED TWO EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST FROM TWO LEADING GERMAN FIRMS,
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WHICH WERE SENT TO THE CONSTITUENT POSTS, I.E. HAMBURG (SEE HAMBURG'S 849 OF 7/17/78 RE GUENTER WAGNER PELIKANWERKE GMBH, HANNOVER 1), AND MUNICH (FOR SCHMIDT SPIEL UND FREIZEIT GMBH, MUENCHEN 40) FOR FURTHER ACTION.

IN ADDITION THE EMBASSY LOCATED A BONN FIRM, GERRIT WOLF, FOR WHICH A PRIVATE TRADE OPPORTUNITY (SEE BONN 11573 OF

JUNE 23, 78) HAD BEEN INITIATED BEFORE. THIS FIRM IS VERY INTERESTED IN SUBJECT PROPOSAL AND IS ALREADY IN CONTACT WITH MR. MARGETSON; IT MIGHT BE IN A POSITION TO ASSIST HIM IN HIS DIFFICULTIES.

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